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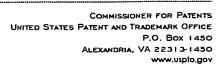


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		A. Not presented on a separate sheet. 37 CFR 1.72.		
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		A. A complete listing of <u>all</u> of the claims is not present.		
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